

REMARKS:

Initially, it is noted that page 1 of the February 26, 2008 Office Action (i.e., the “Office Action Summary”) has box 10 thereof checked, with the indication that the drawings are objected to by the Examiner.

However, there does not appear to be any indication in the body of the February 26, 2008 Office Action (i.e., pages 2-5) as to what, specifically, the Examiner objects to with regard to the drawings.

Thus, it appears that the indication that the drawings are objected to by the Examiner in box 10 at page 1 of the February 26, 2008 Office Action may have been made in error. If this is not the case, it is respectfully submitted that the Examiner indicate his specific objections to the drawings so that any such objections may be addressed by applicant.

In any case, claims 24-26 are presented for examination. Claims 1-23 have been withdrawn hereby, without prejudice or disclaimer.

In the February 26, 2008 Office Action, the Examiner indicated that restriction to one of so-called Invention I (indicated by the Examiner as being claims 1-5 and 9-16), Invention II (indicated by the Examiner as being claims 6-8 and 17-23) and Invention III (indicated by the Examiner as being claims 24-26) would be required.

In response, applicant hereby elects so-called Invention III (indicated by the Examiner as being claims 24-26).

Of note, applicant specifically reserves the right to add generic claim(s) during the prosecution of the application. In addition, applicant specifically reserves the right to file divisional application(s) directed to any non-elected invention/species.

Finally, it is noted that this Amendment is fully supported by the originally filed application and thus, no new matter has been added. For this reason, the Amendment should be entered.

Early and favorable consideration on the merits is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,
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